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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE REQUESTED  
EXAMINING GROUP 1753**

**PATENT**  
Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 07057.0049-00

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	)	
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Kiyohito MURATA et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 1753
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Application No.: 10/625,535	)	Examiner: Alan D. Diamond
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Filed: July 24, 2003	)	
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For: THERMOPHOTOVOLTAIC	)	Confirmation No.: 8211
GENERATOR APPARATUS	)	

Commissioner for Patents  
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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL**

In reply to the Final Office Action mailed September 20, 2005, and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, Applicants request reconsideration of the pending claims in view of the following Amendment.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** follow the amendment sections of this paper.